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Subject: I support of Ending the Early Prison Release Program

I didn't know that Connecticut's Risk Reduction Credit Law allows violent felons --including those convicted of rape, manslaughter, kidnapping, or sexual molestation of a child under 13 -- to earn as many as five days off their prison sentences each month? This

which allows violent felons on the streets is offered at the same time CT is trying to take away law biding citizens right to properly protect ourselves. Why assault our right to choose what we feel is necessary for our protection? Please note that Semi-automatic rifles and guns are a MUST for our protection. They (The AR-15 and other semi-automatics) are NOT assault weapons and are not what the military uses. I want both these foolish ideas abandoned immediately. CT must stop rewarding illegal aliens and criminals while punishing us, the law biding citizen.

I support the bill before the state legislature that would stop the above dangerous program! <u>I also support our second amendment and the freedom to choose our protection.</u>

Again, I am in favor of this bill and that would eliminate Ct's Risk Reduction Credit law and I also strongly favor allowing all current legal guns to remain legal and I hope you do too.

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